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PART V.

Season Report for the Week ending with the 29th Saturday in (19th July 1927).

District and Station	Rainfall up to 8 A.M on Saturday				Up to the end of the week from 1st January 1927.						Price of food grains in seers per rupee and market fluctuations in prices of food grains			
	This week		Last ten years' average for the corresponding week		This year		Average of past ten years		Excess (+) or defect (—) of column 4 compared with column 5			This week	Past week	Past ten years' fortnightly average
	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.		Seers	Seers	Seers
1	2		3		4		5		6		7			
BANGALORE														
Bangalore City & Taluk	0	85	2	11	11	04	16	64	—5	60				
Hoskote ...	0	00	2	04	8	07	17	39	—9	32				
Dodballapur ...	0	18	2	15	6	55	17	90	—11	35	Rice, 2nd sort.	5·00	5·00	7·00
Nelamangala ...	0	00	1	72	5	95	14	92	—8	97				
Kankanhalli ...	0	57	1	29	10	74	19	87	—9	13	Ragi	9·50	9·50	10·00
Magadi ...	0	30	1	68	9	41	17	01	—7	60				
Channapatna ...	0	28	1	52	10	00	19	48	—9	48	Kulthi	6·50	6·50	9·00
Anekal ...	0	29	1	53	12	52	18	99	—6	45				
Devanhalli ...	0	09	1	89	6	76	15	83	—9	07	Kadale	5·00	5·00	7·00
Closepet ...	0	39	2	20	7	30	21	84	—14	54				
District average ...	0	29	1	81	8	83	17	98	—9	15				
KOLAR														
Kolar ...	0	16	0	55	6	02	9	91	—3	89				
Bowringpet ...	0	00	0	81	5	64	9	43	—3	79				
Chintamani ...	0	10	0	69	4	05	9	88	—5	83	Rice, 2nd sort.	4·80	4·80	5·00
Mulbagal ...	0	55	0	47	7	21	10	90	—2	43				
Sidlaghatta ...	0	45	0	92	8	47	9	87	—2	66	Ragi	10·00	10·00	9·80
Chikballapur ...	0	63	0	99	8	37	10	45	—2	08				
Bagepalli ...	0	00	0	94	2	36	9	72	—7	36	Kulthi	6·00	6·00	6·80
Goribidnur ...	0	48	0	49	16	70	9	51	—2	81				
Malur ...	0	14	0	75	11	22	10	24	+0	98	Kadale	5·00	5·00	5·00
Srinivaspur ...	0	31	0	51	3	80	9	81	—6	01				
Gudibanda ...	0	81	0	78	5	26	7	86	—2	60				
District average ...	0	33	0	72	6	28	9	78	—3	50				
TUMKUR														
Tumkur ...	0	32	1	00	11	00	10	24	—0	76				
Maddagiri ...	0	07	0	63	6	50	9	40	—2	90				
Chiknayakanhalli ...	0	55	0	75	9	27	10	17	—0	90	Rice, 2nd sort.	4·50	4·50	4·50
Sira ...	0	00	0	32	4	37	6	81	—2	44				
Gubbi ...	0	25	0	63	7	39	9	29	—1	90	Ragi	9·00	9·00	9·45
Tiptur ...	0	34	0	40	7	29	8	97	—1	68				
Pavagada ...	0	32	0	32	4	25	6	80	—2	55	Kulthi	5·50	5·50	7·30
Kunigal ...	0	41	0	63	6	60	9	00	—2	40				
Koratagere ...	0	12	0	59	5	04	10	28	—5	24	Kadale	5·00	5·00	4·90
Turuvekere ...	0	68	0	83	7	46	8	48	—1	02				
District average ...	0	31	0	51	6	92	8	94	—2	03				

District and Station	Rainfall up to 8 A.M. on Saturday										Price of food grains in seers per rupee and market fluctuations in prices of food grains			
	This week		Last ten years' average for the corresponding week		Up to the end of the week from 1st January 1927									
					This year		Average of past ten years		Excess (+) or defect (—) of column 4 compared with column 5					
1	2		3		4		5		6		7			
	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.		This week	Past week	Past ten years' fortnightly average
												Seers	Seers	Seers
MYSORE														
Mysore ...	0	46	0	71	11	97	16	73	—4	76				
Chamrajnagar ...	0	31	0	64	10	20	10	63	—0	43				
Seringapatam ...	0	00	0	58	6	33	13	33	—7	00				
Hunsur ...	1	62	1	44	10	56	26	73	—16	17				
Yedatore ...	0	35	0	70	7	40	16	34	—8	94	Rice, 2nd sort.	5·00	5·00	5·00
Heggaddevankote ...	1	85	3	20	13	80	26	27	—12	47				
Gundlupet ...	0	35	1	26	13	19	15	04	—1	85	Ragi	9·00	9·00	9·00
Nanjangud ...	0	95	0	95	11	46	16	28	—4	82				
T.-Narsipur ...	0	41	0	53	9	04	14	20	—5	16	Kulthi	8·00	8·00	8·00
Malvalli ...	0	20	0	54	5	67	12	74	—7	07				
Mandya ...	0	22	0	38	8	03	10	80	—2	77	Kadale	5·00	5·00	5·00
Krishnarajpete ...	0	80	1	03	9	26	17	49	—8	23				
Nagamangala ...	0	00	0	60	5	67	11	12	—5	45				
District average ...	0	58	0	97	9	43	15	98	—4	33				
HASSAN														
Hassan ...	1	86	2	31	14	08	13	48	0	60				
Manjarabad (Saklespur) ...	10	50	10	39	48	24	41	96	6	28	Rice, 2nd sort.	5·00	5·00	5·00
Arkalgud ...	2	17	4	38	14	85	17	65	—2	80				
Belur ...	3	03	3	02	19	36	17	96	1	40	Ragi	10·00	10·00	10·00
Channarayapatna ...	0	97	1	04	8	12	12	03	—3	91				
Arsikere ...	0	58	0	65	8	04	9	69	—1	65	Kulthi	6·00	6·00	6·00
Hole-Narsipur ...	2	23	1	61	13	64	10	73	2	91				
Alur ...	3	33	3	65	21	03	18	57	2	46	Kadale	5·00	5·00	5·00
District average ...	3	09	3	38	18	42	17	75	0	66				
SHIMOGA														
Shimoga ...	1	07	2	76	8	89	14	64	—5	75				
Channagiri ...	1	89	1	40	10	81	9	92	0	89				
Honnali ...	1	25	1	20	6	14	9	98	—3	84	Rice, 2nd sort.	5·00	5·00	5·20
Shikarpur ...	5	29	2	61	11	18	15	15	—3	97				
Sorab ...	7	69	5	61	23	24	26	35	—3	11	Ragi	10·00	10·00	10·60
Sagar ...	13	00	9	33	34	79	39	50	—4	71				
Nagar (Kallurkatte) ...	14	47	12	18	45	92	53	83	—7	91	Kulthi	5·00	5·00	7·33
Tirthahalli ...	16	91	15	12	49	14	56	66	—7	52				
Kumsi ...	5	72	3	48	15	68	19	20	—3	52				
District average ...	7	48	5	97	22	87	27	25	—4	38				
KADUR														
Chikmagalur ...	2	83	2	38	14	29	14	98	—0	19				
Kadur ...	0	82	1	20	8	64	9	08	—0	44	Rice, 2nd sort.	5·50	5·50	6·00
Tarikere ...	4	65	3	23	14	51	14	17	0	34				
Koppa ...	16	69	11	84	45	20	43	73	1	47	Ragi	10·11	11·11	12·00
Mudgere ...	14	43	11	68	51	51	43	56	7	95	Kulthi	6·50	6·50	10·00
Narasimharajapura ...	11	61	8	82	33	64	30	95	2	69	Kadale	5·40	5·40	6·00
Sringeri ...	20	08	14	49	66	22	62	20	6	02				
District average ...	10	16	7	66	33	71	31	24	2	47				
CHITALDRUG														
Chitaldrug ...	0	30	0	71	5	14	8	45	—3	31				
Challakere ...	0	00	0	25	0	79	6	21	—5	42	Rice, 2nd sort.	10·00	10·00	14·00
Hiriyur ...	0	07	0	23	5	53	7	54	—2	01				
Holalkere ...	1	76	1	09	7	56	8	63	—1	07	Ragi	4·00	4·00	4·00
Davangere ...	1	38	0	89	4	47	9	91	—5	44	Kulthi	4·50	4·50	4·00
Molakalmuru ...	0	38	0	36	5	46	6	10	—1	54	Cholum	10·00	10·00	14·00
Jagalur ...	0	81	0	66	3	76	8	29	—4	53	Kadale	6·00	6·00	10·00
Hosdurga ...	0	99	0	60	8	78	8	58	0	20				
Harihar ...	1	12	1	06	5	31	8	67	—3	36				
District average ...	0	76	0	45	5	21	7	81	—2	60				
Provincial average ...	3	00	2	69	13	96	15	80	—2	83				

NOTE.—Rice (husked)—Oryza Sativa.
Ragi—Eleusine Corocana
Kulthi—Horse gram Dolichos Biflorus.
Cholum—Sorghum Vulgare,
Kadale—(Bengal gram) Ciser Arietinum.

DISTRICT REPORTS.

8. Markets are well supplied.

9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable outturn of harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.

10. The prospects of season, tracts in which the rainfall has been insufficient, areas affected by scarcity, number of people under relief, and state of food stocks.

11. Remarks as to the condition of agricultural stock, failure of pasturage or fodder, etc.

BANGALORE CITY AND TALUKS.

8. Markets are well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Raiyats are busily engaged in ploughing, manuring and sowing the fields. Til, haraka, jola, avare, togari, navane, same, sugar-cane, paddy, ragi, groundnut and potatoes are being sown in some parts of Bangalore, Hoskote, Dodballapur, Nelamangala, Kankanhalli, Channapatna, Anekal and Devanhalli Taluks and Closepet Sub-Taluk.

Standing crops.—Sugar-cane, mulberry, paddy, jola, groundnut and til are reported to be in good condition.

Crops harvested.—Nil.

10. *Prospects of the season* are fair. Cooly classes find sufficient labour.

11. Cattle are reported to be healthy all over the district.

Water and fodder are available.

KOLAR.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Raiyats are engaged in ploughing dry lands, and also carting manure in all parts of the district.

Crops sown.—Ragi, avare and groundnut are shown in parts of Kolar, Bowringpet, Chintamani, Mulbagal, Chikballapur, Goribidnur and Srinivaspur Taluks; Punaji paddy in parts of Bowringpet and Srinivaspur Taluks; Same in parts of Bowringpet; sajje in parts of Bowringpet and Goribidnur Taluks and Navane in parts of Gorjbidnur Taluk.

Standing crops.—Such as sugar-cane, paddy, groundnut and ragi are reported to be in good condition.

Crops harvested and their outturn.—Nil.

10. *Prospects of the season.*—Fair. Prices of food grains—Stationary. Cooly classes find sufficient labour.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy all over the district except for a few stray cases of Blackquarter and Anthrox in Chikballapur Taluk.

Pasture, fodder and drinking water are available.

TUMKUR.

8. Markets are fairly well supplied.

9. *Crops sown.*—Ragi, avare, thogari are being sown throughout the district. Castor and groundnut in parts of Maddagiri, Sira, and Gubbi Taluks and Turuvekere Sub-Taluk.

Crops harvested.—Nil.

Standing crops.—Ragi, avare, togari, jola, haraka, etc., are reported to be in good condition.

10. *Prospects of the season.*—Good.

11. Except for the prevalence of Blackquarter in some parts of Maddagiri, cattle in other parts of the district are reported to be healthy. It is reported that Veterinary Inspector has been addressed in the matter. Water and fodder are also reported to be available and adequate.

MYSORE.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Lands are being made ready in parts of Seringapatam Taluk for sowing purpose. Transplantation of paddy is going on in parts of Mysore Taluk.

Standing crops.—Jola, ragi, paddy, sugar-cane, mulberry, til, castor, togari, avare, same, navane, chillies, ground-nut, black and green grams are reported to be in good condition.

Seeds sown.—Ragi is sown in parts of Chamrajnagar, Gundlupet, Krishnarajpete and T.-Narsipur Taluks; paddy in parts of Gundlupet and T.-Narsipur Taluks and ramtil in parts of Krishnarajpete Taluk.

Crops harvested.—Sugar-cane and kar-paddy in parts of Krishnarajpete Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season are reported to be fair.

11. 1. Water and fodder are available.

2. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy except for prevalence of dodda-roga in the villages of Basavapur, Kalanahundi of Chamrajnagar Taluk and, Kyathanahalli village of Seringapatam Taluk.

The Superintendent, Civil Veterinary Department, has been requested to take action for their supression.

HASSAN.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Crops sown.*—Doddaragi and paddy are being sown in the Channarayapatna Taluk. It is reported that paddy in the Hole-Narsipur and Belur Taluks and ragi and chillies in the Hole-Narsipur Taluks are being transplanted.

Standing crops.—Paddy in the Hassan, Manjarabad, Channayapatna and Belur Taluks; sugar-cane in the Hassan, Channarayapatna and Belur Taluks; ragi in the Hassan and Belur Taluks; chillies and togari in the Hassan Taluk; til in the Hassan, Arsikere and Channarayapatna Taluks; cotton in the Arsikere and Belur Taluks; castor in the Channarayapatna and Belur Taluks; jolum in the Channarayapatna Taluk and avare in the Belur Taluk are reported to be in good condition.

Crops harvested.—Sugar-cane is being harvested in the Channarayapatna Taluk

10. Prospects of the season are generally good.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy.

Water and fodder are available.

SHIMOGA.

8. Markets are well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Ploughing operations are going on in all parts of the district.

Seeds sown.—Paddy in the Taluk of Shikarpur: ragi, jola in the Taluks of Shimoga, Channagiri and Honnali; and avare and thogari in the Channagiri Taluk are being sown.

Transplantation of paddy is going on in the Taluks of Sagar, Nagar and Tirthahalli.

State of standing crops.—Sugar-cane and paddy in all the taluks and in the Kumsi Sub-Taluk, ragi and jola in the Taluks of Channagiri and Honnali, till and groundnut in the Honnali Taluk are reported to be in good condition.

Crops harvested.—Nil.

10. The prospects of the season are reported to be good.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy. Fodder and water are available.

KADUR.

8. Markets are well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Lands are being ploughed for transplanting of paddy in parts of Chikmagalur, Koppa and Mudgere Taluks and in Sringeri and Narasimharajapura Sub-Taluks.

Crops sown.—Transplanting of paddy in Chikmagalur, Tarikere, Koppa and Mudgere Taluks and also in Narasimharajapura and Sringeri Sub-Taluks. Ragi and jolam, til, green gram and black gram in Tarikere Taluk.

Standing crops.—Paddy and sugar-cane in all the Taluks and Sub-Taluks of the district. Til and ragi in Chikmagalur, Kadur and Tarikere Taluks. Jolam in Kadur, Tarikere and Chikmagalur Taluks. Green gram, black gram, avare, tingalavare, coriander in Chikmagalur, Kadur and Tarikere Taluks. Coffee in Mudgere, Koppa and Chikmagalur Taluks and Cardamom in Mudgere Taluk are reported to be thriving well.

Crops harvested.—Nil.

10. Prospects of the season are fair; food grains are available, but their prices are steady.

11. Cattle are generally healthy throughout the district, but it is reported that there are signs of Rinderpest at Balehonnur village, Narasimharajapura Sub-Taluk.

2. Water and fodder for cattle are available in all the taluks of the district.

CHITALDRUG.

8. Markets were adequately supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Ploughing and sowing operations are in progress; but more rains are badly needed in the Taluks of Chitaldrug, Challakere Jagalur Hiriyur and Molakalmuru.

Standing crops.—Jola, til, groundnut, paddy, navane, ragi, mungar-jola, sugarcane, giddaragi, avare, togari, black gram, cotton, sajje, castor and save are reported to be in a fair condition.

Seeds sown.—Chitaldrug Taluk—Jola, til, groundnut, paddy, green gram, navane and ragi. Challakere Taluk—Navane, groundnut, sajje, togari and castor. Hiriyur Taluk—Ragi. Holalkere Taluk—Ragi and paddy. Davangere Taluk—Chillies. Molakalmuru Taluk—Doddaragi. Jagalur Taluk—Ragi, jola, cotton and horsegram. Hosdurga Taluk—Ragi and avare. Harihar Sub-Taluk—Jola, ragi, navane, horsegram, togari, groundnut, cotton and chillies.

Crops harvested.—Hiriyur Taluk—Groundnut; 8 annas.

10. Prospects of the season are fair. Prices of food stuffs continue to be stationary. Cooly classes generally find labour. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy except for Rinderpest in parts of Challakere, Davangere and Jagalur Taluks. It is reported that the Veterinary Inspectors attached to these taluks are taking needful action.

11. Water, fodder and food stuffs are generally available. Water and fodder are reported to be insufficient in parts of Challakere and Molakalmuru Taluks and steps have been taken to sink temporary wells or improve existing ones. It is reported that fodder required is being purchased elsewhere in small quantities and use locally.

OFFICE OF THE REVENUE COMMISSIONER IN MYSORE,
Dated, Bangalore, 19th July 1927.

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Assistant Commissioner,
For *Revenue Commissioner,*
(absent from Station.)